GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Ring Railway Network
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways has ring railway network around a number of cities and towns;
(b) if so, the details thereof, city and State-wise and their utilisation factor thereof;
(c) the investment that has been incurred on such projects, city and State-wise;
(d) whether a number of such networks are lying defunct or are designated as financially sick and if so, the details thereof, city and State-wise; and
(e) whether the Government is upgrading such network and if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(a) No, Madam. In Delhi DAL (Delhi Avoiding Line) which is primarily utilized by freight trains to by-pass Delhi is called "Ring Railway" in common parlance.
(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)
(b) to (e) : Do not arise.
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